

# Plastic Bags/Packaging

## Accepted at the following sites:

Catlett  
Corral Farm  
Markham  
Marshall  
Morrisville  
New Baltimore  
Remington  
See site attendant for container location



## How to Prepare for Recycling:

**Clean and dry. Remove receipts and other items from bags.**

Plastic must be soft to the touch and relatively noise free when scrunched, examples include:



Newspaper Bags



Drycleaning Film



Bread Wrappers



Fresh Produce Bags



Retail Plastic Bags



Furniture Wrap



Electronics Bags and Wrap



Case Wrap



Zip Bags



Sandwich Bags

Unfortunately some types of plastic bags and packaging is not accepted and they include:



Black Trash Bags



Bags with String Ties  
unless removed first



Agricultural Film



Plastic Cling Wrap



Frozen Food Bags



Lettuce Wrap



Bio-based or Compostable Bags

### **Why Recycle?**

As a litter prevention strategy, recycling plastic bags will reduce the amount of litter on road ways in Fauquier County.

Plastic bags and packaging is collected at schools, collection sites and grocery stores and then baled for shipment to TREX in Winchester, VA. Fauquier County collected and processed over 14 tons of plastic bags in 2016. Plastic bags are a major component in making composite wood used as new decking, park benches, and playground equipment.